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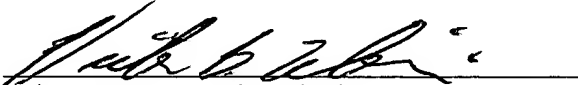
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- [X] Filing fee in the amount of \$950.00.
- [X] Signed Declaration.
- [] Small entity status is entitled to be, and hereby is, asserted for this application.

[X] A Petition for Extension of Time for 1 month is hereby made, under provisions of §1.136(a); a check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed per §1.17.

[] Other: _____

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Respectfully submitted,

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$240.
 - \$240 for 3 independent claims over 3 .
- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:
Jihad Boura, Gary Dudley, Benny Siman-Tov
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1080.

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